L. H. J. Coll<sup>o</sup> Young and two others Delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker his Excellencys Letter to the Lower House Viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly April the 21<sup>st</sup> 1720.

Gent.

His Excellency Desires to Communicate to you his Letter to this house which is as followeth.

## Gentlemen:

I am Surprized at the reasons offered by the Lower House for not advanceing me the money on the 3<sup>d</sup> p hh<sup>d</sup>. I must acquaint you I am well Informed their Lordships Cannot Superseed my Commission, without the Approbation of the Crowne, now his Majesty has not yet Signified his Pleasure any otherways than by his Lycence that I might return for Twelve months for the Recovery of my health, and has made no provision but in Case of my absence which is Left at Discresion.

It is true Mr Rozer a profest papist has declared he has done my business, which is the only Notice I have of my being Superceeded, Now I hope the Commission of a Governour of Maryland, does not depend on that Malicious and Insignificant man. If it does the Lord have Mercy on you. The Lower House have acted very Cautiously as to Saveing their money but I shall leave it to time to reveal the Consequence of such Parsimony, though I can't help saying I thought I had Deserved at least so much of Maryland that their Representatives might have done me a favour which I am pswaded no private friend would have refused me on less Obligations. I shall p. 70 Conclude wth this remark, that as their Lordships had made no Provision for my Support at my return but the 3<sup>d</sup> p hhd I Could not have thought the Lower house would have frustrated his Lordship's Intentions when my Request was no damage to the Country

Signed p Ord Joh Beale Cl Up Ho.

Esq<sup>r</sup> Lloyd and M<sup>r</sup> Bordley from the Upper House Delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the following Message Viz.

By the Upper house of Assembly April the 21st 1720.

In pursuance of your Message by Coll<sup>o</sup> Mackall and Seven others of this Instant wee have Appointed Phil Lloyd and Thomas Bordley Esq<sup>15</sup> of our house to Joyne with such of the